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The reply filed on March 24, 2005, is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): The reply fails to identify which of the currently filed claims (as amended) are readable on the elected species, as required in the Office action mailed on November 5, 2002 (page 2, lines 12-14). In fact, *none* of the present claims appear to be supported by the embodiment of Figure 5, which depicts a core **230** and a barrier layer **234** only (Applicant's US 2002/0138136 A1: paragraph **0030**). Attention is directed to 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

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